

"BUTTONS" WAS TOO DILATORY

Bell-Hops at the Hawaiian Hotel Wanted to Strike.

"Front!"

The clerk at the Hawaiian hotel waited for the response of a buttons, but none came. It was just the hour for a change of shifts.

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There was a wait of a couple of minutes, and then a diminutive buttons of the Oriental type, with queue tightly wound around a well shaven head, forming a block frame for the moon-shaped face, sauntered into the hallway and took a seat on the waiting bench.

"Front!" The clerk's voice had reached the dynamic stage and the pake "buttons" responded with a jump.

But the jump was almost his last, for the manager appeared on the scene at the same moment. There was a call for an explanation for "button's" dilatoriness in going on his shift, and a fine of a small sum was imposed as a gentle reminder that minutes in the hotel regulations are worth money. There was consternation in the ranks of the four or five "buttons" and one or two later on decided to quit. These announced to the others that they had decided to quit, but evidently the hypnotic influence of the numerous tips they have been in the habit of receiving had its effect, for they remained on duty as usual. They had intended to strike and went so far as to notify the Advertiser that they could not handle hotel papers for it in the morning; but sober second thought prevailed.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Hawaiian Lodge, F. & A. M., meets tonight.

Striking combinations in wall papers at Beal's.

Ask for S. & W. canned goods at May & Co.'s.

Dining tables of every description at Coyne Furniture Co.

"Monarch" brand golf shirts selling at \$1.25. Kash Clothing Co.

Hawaiian News Co. will sell Fischer pianos on the installment plan.

Excelsior Lodge will meet this evening for work in the initiatory degree.

Rice & Perkins use the finest platinum paper from which pictures never fade.

Brownie cameras should interest every boy and girl. See Honolulu Photo Supply Co. ad.

James F. Morgan offers several desirable properties for rent. See his column on page 6.

A furnished cottage is wanted by two young bachelors. See our classified ads. for particulars.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Inter-Island Steamship Company will be held on April 14, at 10 o'clock.

The very smartest of the new spring tailor made suits can be seen at Montano's, in Arlington block, Hotel St.

"Dri and I" is one of the popular novels of the day, while "I am dry" and want Rainier beer is another thing.

A lady's purse containing money, keys and papers is advertised as having been lost. Reward offered for return of same to this office.

A new 8-room modern house, having all the latest conveniences, is offered for rent. Good location on car line. For particulars, Phone Blue 1361.

The Enterprise Brewing Co. are the first in the field with "Bock Beer." Same now on sale at Merchants Exchange, Fort and Nuuanu streets.

James F. Morgan will sell at public auction the household furniture, paintings, etc., of Mr. M. C. Monahan, at his residence, 1151 Union street, on Friday next.

Miss Lena Pilkington, who has been associated with Berrey's Commercial Agency for a long period, leaves Honolulu on April 9 for her old home at Red Oak, Iowa.

Continued for two weeks longer, the closing out sale of Geo Kim. We have added new goods. Last day Monday, April 14th. Remember the place—115 Nuuanu street.

Miss M. E. Killeen will be pleased to see her old friends and customers at her residence on Union street, where she is prepared to do dressmaking in all its branches.

Geo Kim of 115 Nuuanu street will continue his closing out sale two weeks longer. Some goods ordered some time ago and which have just been opened have been added to the lot.

Buy your horse goods from a harnessmaker. Fred Philip & Bro. carry harness of all kinds, including track harness made of Moffat Leather. They also carry McKerron's Boots at San Francisco prices.

Mr. A. Herbert advertises Smyrna and Capri fig trees for sale at 65 and 75 cents each. This reasonable price merely covers the cost of transportation and should be a great inducement to prospective buyers.

W. W. Dimond Co. Ltd. will make alterations in all styles of tailors' exchange for one of their new renowned Jewell Stoves. Don't wait till the stove you are at present using is too far gone to be of use, but get right in and take same to Dimond's and they will fit you out with a new one.

John Judge, a practical plumber, who has been with Messrs. Sellers & Brown for a long time, has branched out for himself, and will be pleased to figure on work in his line, no matter how large or small. Sewer connections made. His shop for the present is on the corner of King and South streets.

PUBLIC CONCERT.

Berger's Band Tuesday Evening at Hawaiian Hotel.

PART I.

Overture, Ten Girls and No Husband, Procensional, Ell, Costa Selection, Two Hostile Brothers, Verdi Songs—

(a) Nuuanu Waipio (b) Ka Makani Kaili Aloha (c) Miss I. Kellina (d) Wai Punalau (e) Rain tua'hine o Manoa.

Mrs. N. Alapai.

PART II.

Cornet Solo, Elegiac Polka, Wiegand Selection, The Toreador, Monckton Waltz, Lorma, Grossman Mazurka, Leaves of Autumn, Packard The Star Spangled Banner.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Malle Lehua is out for March, with an interesting number.

William H. Syren, who has been head bartender of the Hawaiian Hotel for some time past, leaves in the Kinaiu for Hilo, where he will be in charge of the Union Saloon.

George B. McClellan has been appointed land agent for the Oahu Railway, the Hilo Railway and the B. F. Dillingham Co., and will manage the land of those three corporations.

The fire claims commission was in executive session yesterday adjudicating claims. As fast as the claims are registered now they will be made public, certificates of awards being issued.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Board of Missions will be held this afternoon at half past two o'clock at the Central Union Church. A paper will be read by Mrs. Dyke of Kanehameha.

W. H. Barth, the defendant in the divorce libel filed Saturday, is not the proprietor of the Honolulu Sheet Metal Works, as was stated in the petition, but he conducts the same kind of a business at a different place.

There may be another meeting of the Young Men's Club today. It is intended, if possible, for the club to start out with its own building and grounds, instead of taking a part of the Young block, as had been contemplated.

King street near the Oahu depot is a big mud hole, and there is no prospect for filling it to the proper level, there being a shortage of stone since the cessation of operations at the quarry crusher. A few days more of sun like that of yesterday will dry up the mud.

A petition is being circulated by the Inter-Island Telegraph Company among its creditors asking that in the event a guarantee fund be secured, they will not prosecute their claims against this fund. The money for the reopening of the system is already pledged, but conditioned upon such promise upon the part of the creditors.

G. G. Gage of Oakland, who has been connected with the Hawaiian Hotel staff for several weeks, has severed his connection with the hotel, and leaves today for Maui with Mr. Palmer of the Union Oil Company of California, to engage with the latter in the completion of plans for the organization of the company's plant near Spracklesville. Mr. Gage has been in the Islands only a few weeks, and is a Stanford man.

The road jury called by High Sheriff Brown yesterday at the instance of Supt. Boyd after a trip along the proposed right of way condemned the land for a road from King street to join the beach road through the property of Mrs. Ward. The new Kewalo sewer is to be built along this road, the land for which was donated to the government by Mrs. Ward. The jury was composed of J. H. Soper, Frank Harvey, Thos. Wall, T. J. King, Chas. Falk, and T. E. Peck.

Representative Underwood of Alabama and ex-Representative C. M. Shelley of that State saw the President recently to ask him to appoint John Blandin as a cadet at the Naval Academy. Young Blandin is a son of Lieut. Blandin, who was killed in the explosion of the Maine in Havana harbor in February, 1898. Lieut. Blandin was appointed to the Naval Academy from Alabama by Mr. Shelley when the latter was a member of Congress. Lieut. Blandin was well known in Honolulu.

Woman's Board.

The April meeting of the Woman's Board of Missions will be held in the lecture room of Central Union Church, on Tuesday, April 1, at 2:30 p. m. The program for the day includes a paper on the educational work of the American Missionary Association, by Mrs. C. B. Dyke; also reports of the Hawaiian and Japanese work on our Islands.

Sachs
The Popular Store.

RECORD BREAKING LACE CURTAIN SALE

We are overstocked and have more on the way. One of those miscalculations in ordering stock, that cannot always be avoided, and making it necessary to sell our present line at a sacrifice.

A CHANCE FOR HOUSEKEEPERS FOR THIS WEEK ONLY.

NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, very elegant assortment, in white ecru, full lengths, from \$5.00 to \$6.85 per pair. FRILLED MADRAS CURTAINS, white and cream, only a small lot, 4 yards long and 56 inches in width, regular price \$6.75, sale price \$3.75 per pair.

TAMBO NET LACE CURTAINS, extra quality, choice patterns, full size, regular price \$9.50, sale price \$6.50 per pair. Another lot 4 yards long and 63 inches wide, regular price \$12.50, sale price \$9.45.

N. S. Sachs' DRY GOODS CO., LTD.
FORT STREET.

Mr. W. K. Vickery

of the firm of Vickery, Atkins & Torrey, of SAN FRANCISCO, will be in Honolulu for three weeks from March twenty-first, and will have with him some of the firm's recent personal purchases in Europe, of WATER-COLORS and FINE ETCHINGS.

You are invited to visit the collection.

Room 11

McIntyre Bldg. Fort and King Sts.

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Wet weather generally means wet feet, and wet feet invariably means a cold. A cold means—well, we won't go any further, but its obvious that what you need most at the present time is a

GOOD PAIR OF RUBBERS

We have a stock of the best men's storm rubbers made; extra heavy rolled edge around the sole as protection to the seam, and all of the best material. \$1 buys a Pair and saves many more dollars in doctor's bills and enforced absence from business.

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Another of our wonderful Value Hose Sales

Ladies' Fine White Hose, 2 pairs,25c
Ladies' Tan or Black Hose, 3 pairs,50c
Ladies' Fast Black, Lace throughout, only ...25c pair.

The above must be seen to be appreciated as they are worth a great deal more.

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New Spring Fancy Hosiery

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We hope that you will not forget that there is a difference in the materials used at different fountains. We always serve the best quality of syrups and cream that can be had anywhere. This is what gives to our soda water the delicious "something" which we often hear described by the expression, "well now, there's something to that drink." Experts call it the "body", of a drink. We wish that you would notice this particular feature when next you are drinking at our Fountain.

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Workmanship in Safes and Vaults is a guarantee of the best and highest grade burglar and fire proof construction yet attained. Protection that protects. The new Hackfeld Building, the Stangenwald Building, the Hawaiian Treasury and the bulk of the best grade vault and safe work here is of Diebold construction.

PEARSON & POTTER CO., Ltd., cor. Hotel and Union streets, General Agents.

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Have just opened a new and fine line of

SILK GOODS

Consisting of EMBROIDERED SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, INDIA LINEN VICTORIA LAWNS, HEAVY PONGEE SILK for Men's Suits; EMBROIDERED SILK PIANO COVERS.

The above goods have just been opened and are of the latest patterns.

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(Signed): "JNO. WANAMAKER."

We have just received a shipment of these Typewriters and will be pleased to give full particulars regarding same.

THEO. H. DAVIES & CO., Limited
HARDWARE DEPT.

Monday, March 31.

REMNANT SALE

IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

On Our Bargain Table You Will Find White Victoria Lawns

30 pieces—\$2.00 reduced to \$1.50 piece.
60 " 2.50 " " 1.75 "
40 " 4.00 " " 2.00 "

Lap robes \$1, reduced to 35c

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All Wool, Colored French Bengalen's: 1 lot, 75c to 50c; 1 lot 75c to 25c.

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